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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) No. CR 08-0237 EMC

Plaintiff, )

v. )

BECKY CHRISTIAN, )

Defendant. )

PARTIES' JOINT REQUEST TO CONTINUE  
STATUS HEARING DATE AND [PROPOSED]  
ORDER

It is hereby stipulated by and between counsel for the United States, Assistant U.S. Attorney Kyle F. Waldinger, and counsel for defendant **Becky Christian**, Steven M. Bauer, that, subject to the Court's approval, the status hearings presently set for June 21, 2011, and July 18, 2011, be continued and set for a status hearing on July 20, 2011, at 2:30 p.m. The United States has previously learned from the Court's courtroom deputy that the Court is available on that date.

The reason for this request is that counsel for the defendant Becky Christian is currently out of the office. Because this case was only recently assigned to the Honorable Edward M. Chen, and because this will be the defendant **Christian**'s first appearance before the Court, defense counsel strongly prefers to be present for the hearing. Counsel for the United States has no objection to the defense request in this regard. The defendant previously pleaded guilty in this

1 matter, and has agreed to cooperate with the government's investigation and prosecution of her  
 2 co-defendant David Nosal. Mr. Nosal's case has not yet proceeded to trial, and the defendant  
 3 Christian is expected to testify at that trial. At this point, the parties expect that there likely will  
 4 be a joint request that the defendant Christian be sentenced at the conclusion of the proceedings  
 5 involving the co-defendant Nosal.

6 For all of these reasons, the parties jointly request that this Court vacate the status  
 7 hearings presently set for June 21, 2011, and July 18, 2011, and set a status hearing for July 20,  
 8 2011, at 2:30 p.m.

9 SO STIPULATED.

10 Dated: June 20, 2011

MELINDA HAAG  
 United States Attorney

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 12 /s/  
 13 KYLE F. WALDINGER  
 Assistant United States Attorney

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 15 SO STIPULATED.

16 Dated: June 20, 2011

17 /s/  
 STEVEN M. BAUER  
 Attorney for defendant Becky Christian

18  
 19 **[PROPOSED] ORDER**

20 GOOD CAUSE APPEARING,

21 IT IS ORDERED that the status hearings presently set for June 21, 2011, and July 18,  
 22 2011, are vacated. The parties are ordered to appear for a status hearing on July 20, 2011, at 2:30  
 23 p.m.

24 Dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2011

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 27 HONORABLE  
 UNITED STATES

